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Re: OCA 86-4248

Action on attached is completed. Request for briefing was turned down orally.

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RENEWAL OF REQUEST FOR MEETING
WITH CIA ON MAN-PORTABLE AIR DEFENSE
SYSTEMS

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Since our initial request last May to discuss man-portable missile systems with Agency representatives, our work and other publicly reported developments have heightened the importance of such discussions so that our review covers all of the principals involved with controlling and accounting for such systems. Therefore, we are renewing our request to discuss such systems with Agency representatives. A copy of our initial request (and annotated disposition) is attached.



## Request for Meeting with CIA on Man-portable Air Defense Systems

The General Accounting Office has initiated a review of the Redeve and Stinger missiles. The review objectives are to determine the number of missiles produced and delivered to U.S., allied, and other military forces; the controls in existence to prevent theft, misuse, or diversion; and the effectiveness of these weapons when used by trained and untrained personnel. GAO is also interested in obtaining any details on comparable missile systems produced by other countries, and what controls exist to prevent their misuse.

In carrying out this assignment, GAO personnel will be meeting with DOD and State Department personnel. GAO, however, would like to meet with Agency personnel to discuss the reported delivery of Stinger missiles to anti-government forces in Angola and Afghanistan, and what controls exist to insure the missiles will not fall into unfriendly hands. GAO would also like to know if there have been any instances of diversion or misuse of Redeye and Stinger missiles. In addition, GAO would appreciate receiving any information the Agency may have on similar manportable missile systems produced by other countries and how they control them.

The GAO representatives that would like to meet with Agency personnel are Messrs. Albert H. Huntington, III, and Raymond A. Plunkett. They can be reached on 557-1469 and 557-1498, treference to DOD foroll respectively. Mr. Frank Degnan, GAO liaison with the Agency, be reached on 275-5361.

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